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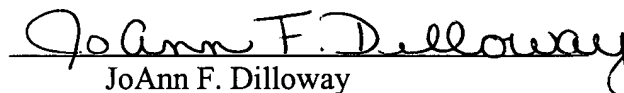
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**Request for Certificate of Correction of Office Mistake Under 37 C.F.R. 1.322**

Sir:

The Applicant respectfully requests that the attached Certificate of Correction be entered for the above-identified United States Patent to correct omissions and typographical errors. A charge is not required for the Certificate of Correction, since the error was incurred through the fault of the United States Patent and Trademark Office, which mistake is clearly disclosed in the records of the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

Specifically, amendments made to the claims submitted July 19, 2005 were omitted from the patent. In claim 9, "the upper surface" should be changed to -- the concave upper surface --. In claim 15, "metallic reinforcing member" should be changed to -- metallic reinforcing plate --. In claim 16, "metallic reinforcing member" should be changed to -- metallic reinforcing plate --. In claim 23, "the upper surface" should be changed to -- the concave upper surface --. In claim 29, "metallic reinforcing member" should be changed to -- metallic reinforcing plate --. In claim 31, "interlocking protrusion" should be changed to -- interlocking portion --. In claim 32, "metallic reinforcing member" should be changed to -- metallic reinforcing plate --.

Additionally, the following typographical errors were found in the claims presented in the Amendment filed July 25, 2005. Specifically, in claim 35, "insulative housing so the land" should be changed to -- insulative housing so that the land --. In claim 36, "the reinforcing plate" should be changed to -- the metallic reinforcing plate --.

Because the above amendments are needed to correct the United States Patent and Trademark Office's typographical errors and omissions, entry of the Certificate of Correction is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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## UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In column 14, line 65, claim 9, "the upper surface" should be changed to -- the concave upper surface --.

In column 15, line 20, claim 15, "metallic reinforcing member" should be changed to -- metallic reinforcing plate --.

In column 15, line 24, claim 16, "metallic reinforcing member" should be changed to -- metallic reinforcing plate --.

In column 15, line 62, claim 23, "the upper surface" should be changed to -- the concave upper surface --.

In column 16, line 18, claim 29, "metallic reinforcing member" should be changed to --metallic reinforcing plate --.

In column 16, line 31, claim 31, "interlocking protrusion" should be changed to -- interlocking portion --.

In column 16, line 34, claim 32, "metallic reinforcing member" should be changed to -- metallic reinforcing plate --.

In column 16, line 53, claim 35, "insulative housing so the land" should be changed to -- insulative housing so that the land --.

In column 16, line 59, claim 36, "the reinforcing plate" should be changed to -- the metallic reinforcing plate --.

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